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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR POSSESSION OF A SMALL AMOUNT OF MARIJUANA."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and 2 internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2009) Notwithstanding the decriminalization of the possession of a small amount of a cannabistype substance under section 1 of this act, any person who was convicted of a violation of subsection (c) of section 21a-279 of the general statutes for the possession of a cannabis-type substance, which violation was committed prior to October 1, 2009, shall continue to be required to disclose the existence of such conviction on any employment application form or other document that requests criminal conviction information and is signed by such person, unless such person has received a pardon for such conviction."